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WEATHER REPORT
Occasional rain this afternoon and tonight. Thursday probably overcast. Colder Thursday afternoon and night. Moderate southerly winds.
High tide 11:01 a. m. and 11:23 p. m. Sun rose 7:04. Sun sets 4:47.

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ELECTS CITY ATTORNEY

H. N. Garner, Who Received Vote of People This Month, is Also Chosen By Council.

The City Council was in session about an hour last night. The business presented was of a routine nature, and caused but little discussion.

Board of Aldermen.

Seven Aldermen were present. The only new business presented was the proposed curfew law, submitted by Mr. Wilkins at the request of Police Commissioner R. E. Knight, who informed Mr. Wilkins that it had the unanimous endorsement of the Board of Police Commissioners:

President Marbury ruled that it be referred to the committee on general laws and police.

Mr. Brill moved that the committee on health be added, which was agreed to. (The ordinance will be found in another column.)

The board having concurred in the action of the Common Council on all papers sent in, Mr. Field, from the lower board, appeared in the chamber bearing an invitation to the Aldermen to repair to the chamber of the lower board and participate in the election of a Corporation Attorney to fill the unexpired term of the late S. P. Fisher, who had until January 1, 1918, to serve.

Mr. Ballenger moved that the invitation be accepted.

Mr. Brill was not ready to accept the invitation, as he did not think the election of this officer had been given proper publicity. Besides he supposed H. N. Garner, for whom he voted, had been elected at the last general election.

President Marbury thought it had been generally understood that the election would be held last night. He reminded Mr. Brill of the fact that he was not present at the last meeting.

Mr. Harrison favored accepting the invitation, and said the city was in need of a Corporation Attorney.

Mr. Brill again said he could not see his way clear to accept the invitation of the Common Council under existing circumstances.

After some further interchange of opinion, during which it was stated that Mr. Garner had been elected by the people, this month, but that as he was chosen to fill a vacancy, it was deemed proper that Council should ratify the election of the choice of the people.

The invitation was finally accepted and the board repaired to the chamber of the Common Council. Upon their return the Aldermen adjourned.

Common Council.

The joint committee on finance and general laws reported adversely on a resolution of Councilman Lawler, which provided that a discount of five per cent. be allowed on that part of the city taxes which will be paid the city treasurer by December 1, and its report was adopted. Councilmen Ballenger and Lawler opposed the committee's report when a vote was taken on the matter.

Councilman Burke explained that a reasonable discount is allowed on payment of taxes in July to induce prompt payment as the city needs the money at that time in order to meet its obligations, adding he saw no reason for allowing a discount at this time.

Councilman Lawler thought the committe wrong. He was of the opinion that the public entitled to the discount just now as well as in July. On the resolution of Councilman Pohl appropriating the sum of $6,000 for the construction of a new fire engine house in the recently annexed territory for housing the new motor truck engine, the finance and fire committees made an adverse report, adding they did not think this the proper time to do such work, but that the finance committee reserve funds enough out of the twelve per cent assessed valuation from the property in the annexed territory to do the work. The report was adopted and referred to the finance committee.

Councilman Bales stated that the committee had reserved enough funds for its construction. Councilman Pohl stated the report was satisfactory to him.

The joint committee on finance, fire and general laws reported progress on the recommendations of the citizen's committee providing for a fire alarm system and other improved fire fighting facilities for this city, and the matter was referred back to the committee.

A resolution, offered by Councilman Ballenger at the last meeting, that the corporation attorney investigate by what authority a barricade had been placed in Reinicker's lane on Duke street extended, was recommitted to the street committee on the recommendation of that committee.

The street committee recommended that the city engineer put North Washington street to the city limits on the north in good condition for the winter following a communication from George Washington Lewis, secretary of the Alexandria Automobile Club, on behalf of that club, asking city council for the improvement of that thoroughfare. The report was adopted.

Councilman Bales told council this street really needs a new road, as it is practically worn out.

The election of H. Noel Garner, as corporation attorney, chosen by the vote of the people November 7, was ratified by council at a joint session.

Mr. Garner was placed in nomination by Councilman Field and the nomination was seconded by Alderman Brill.

Before going into an election Alderman Brill asked for information on the subject. Mr. Brill, however, explained that Mr. Garner was one of his constituents and he proposed to vote for him.

It was explained by Councilman Burke that the election was simply a matte of form, and he did not think any principal was involved.

President Smith explained the law relative to such an election and added that Mr. Garner simply desired to take all necessary precautions before assuming the duties incident to the new position. His term he explained would commence January 1, 1917, ending January 1, 1918, which represents the unexpired term of the late Samuel P. Fisher.

Other matter disposed of will be found in the official proceedings.

PRESENTS CURFEW LAW

Police Commissioners Transmit to Council Ordinance They Desire to Be Adopted

The proposed curfew law made its appearance in the City Council last night. The object of the law is to keep boys and girls under sixteen years of age off the streets and alleys of the city during the summer months after nine o'clock, and during the winter months the streets must be cleared of the younger generation after eight o'clock. Fifteen strokes of bells in the fire stations will be sounded at these hours.

The following ordinance was submitted in the Board of Aldermen last night by Mr Wilkins. In presenting the ordinance Mr. Wilkins said he had brought it to Council at the request of Police Commissioner R. E. Knight, who informed him that it had the unanimous endorsement of the Board of Police Commissioners. The ordinance was referred to the joint committee on General Laws, Police and Health The ordinance did not reach the Common Council, that board having adjourned.

Any person under the age of sixteen years who shall be found upon any of the streets or alleys of the city of Alexandria at night, and later than fifteen minutes after the ringing of the curfew-bell, as hereinafter provided, shall be guilty of misdeameanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined any sum not less than one dollar nor more than five dollars; provided, that the Police Justice may remit or extend the time of payment of the fine hereunder upon the recognizance of the accused, and provided further that the Chief of Police or police sergeant may release upon their own recognizance persons arrested hereunder until the time of trial.

The foregoing section shall not apply to any person under the age of sixteen years who shall at the time of being found upon the street or alleys of the said city be accompanied by his or her parent or guardian, or to any person or persons in search of a physician; provided, that such person or persons at the time of being so found is or are actually executing such errand—unless such person or persons shall have the written permission fo his or her or their parent, parents or guardian.

The Chief of Police of the City of Alexandria shall, at and on each and every day from October first to March thirty-first, at 8 o'clock p. m.; and from April first to September thirtieth, at 9 o'clock p. m., ring or cause to be rung the bell on each fire station in this city, and said bell shall be known as the curfew bell, and fifteen successive strokes of said bell shall be deemed a sufficient ringing thereof.

Alexandria City and Suburbs

Mr. Robert W. Fuller, of Washington formerly of Alexandria, was in the city today.

Miss Lucille Dienelt, of Rosemont, is the guest of Mrs. Leet, at her home in Philadelphia, and will attend the Cornell-Pennsylvania football game tomorrow.

Eight years ago a pigeon answering to the name of "Pete" disappeared from a residence on Duke street, south of Lee, and yesterday it returned and answered to it's name.

While trying to board an Alexandria car yesterday afternoon at 12th and D streets, Washington, J. T. Thomas, colored, fell and cut his head He was treated at Emergency Hospital.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Herschel A. Ingram, of Wilmington, Del., and Ellen D. Moore, of Alexandria. The ministers name given was Rev. L. Morgan Chambers.

Mr. Charles Bruce Morton, of the University of Virginia, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, the Rev. William J. Morton and Mrs. Morton, at their home in north Washington street.

Miss Mary V. Douglass, 422 north Peyton street, complained to the Washington police yesterday of the loss of a mink muff, worth $25. She stated the muff disappeared from a store on G street where she was shopping.

Mr. H. B. Gorman, who has been with the Paff shoe factory for over a year has severed his connection with that firm and will leave on Friday for his home in Boston to the regret of his many friends in this city.

Mrt. Joseph F. Rodgers of 222 south Fairfax street very shortly expects to be able to go into the market and materially reduce the cost of living through the aid of his flock of hens. One of the breed, which, by the way, believes in advertising yesterday, called attention to the fact that hereafter she will only lay eggs measuring six inches in circumference and weighing four to the pound. She gave proof of the statement by accomplishing the deed both yesterday and today, Mr. Rodgers brought the eggs to the Gazette office this morning as evidence to show what a real energetic Virginia hen can do. In justice to Mrs. Hen her eggs ought to be sold by weight.

In compliance with its usual custom the Gazette office will be closed tomorrow (Thanksgiving day) and no paper will be issued, in order that the employees may observe the holiday.

The first dance of the season of the Alexandria German Club will be held tonight in the auditorium of the Elks' Home, in Prince street.

The Alexandria city postoffice will observe Sunday hours tomorrow, Thursday November 30th, and there will be no delivery by the city carriers, but the general delivery window will be open from 8 a. m. to 10 a. m.,

Mrs. Jacob Edge and two little children, Miss Elizabeth Edge and Master Valentine Edge, who have been the guests of Mrs. John Hunton Foster, in Cameron street, have returned to their home in East Downington, Pa.

Rev. Dr. Berryman Green, of the Theological Seminary will deliver a lecture in the Norton Memorial of St. Paul's Church, Friday evening, December 1, at 8 o'clock, The subject of Dr. Green's address will be "How to study the Bible." The public generally will be welcome and the adult Bible classes of the city are extended a special invitation to attend.

The Parish Aid Society of Christ Church will present a play, "Madam Grundy's Dilemma," and a musical program Monday evening at 8 o'clock, in the Parish Hall. This affair promises to be most interesting. Among the musical numbers will be selections by Mrs. William Morgan Smith, and the Glee Club of the Seminary. The characters of the play will be portrayed by members of the Parish Aid.

Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, Captain Slaymaker will meet all boys who are in any way interested in the Junior Guard, Improved Order of Red Men, The meeting will be held in the Junior Guard Hall, No. 112 1-2 south Fairfax street. All parents who are in any way interested in seeing their sons grow up into useful, patriotic citizens will do well in urging their boys to be present at this meeting. No binding obligations are administered or assumed for compulsory military service. But if you wish your boy to be taught to avoid the many vices and pitfalls set for them in these days, let them attend this and all other meetings of this organization, which has been instituted for their good.

Thanksgiving services will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in the three Episcopal churches of the city

The Musical and Dramatic entertainment to be given in the Westminster Building Friday, December 8, at 8 o'clock, promises to be a most enjoyable affair. The tickets are now on sale, the proceeds to go to the Free Kindergarten.

John T. Green, a well known colored man and for many years employed by the firm of Reardon and Grimes, died last Sunday and was buried today from Roberts Chapel. He was faithful in the discharge of his duties and was respected by all who knew him.

A collision between the automobiles, of Eugene J. Collins, 906 R street, Washington, and W. C. Arnold, 311 north Patrick street, Alexandria, occurred at Vermont avenue and 9th street, Washington, last night about 10:30 o'clock. both machines were damaged, though the drivers were not reported injured.

Mr. James D. Fauntleroy left this city last week for Dallas, Texas, where he will make his home. Mrs. Fauntleroy and children will remain in Alexandria for the winter, going to Alta Vista, Virginia, in the spring and from there to Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Fauntleroy have made a number of friends in this city during their residence here and it is with sincere regret that they hear of their departure.

The Junior German Club will give their Thanksgiving dance Friday afternoon, from 4 to 6, in the auditorium of the Elks' Home. The feature of the affair will be the Flower Ballet, danced by little Misses Louise Finke, Marion Dienelt, Genevieve Shepperson, Margaret Yates, Louise Carlin, Katherine Leadbeater, Frances Cox and Dorothy Morton. Spring will be represented by little Miss Viola Barrett.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Methodist Episcopal Church South, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The Second Presbyterian, Methodist Protestant, Trinity Methodist, Southern Methodist, First Baptist, and Second Baptist will unite in this service. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Eugene B. Jackson, pastor of the First Baptist. The collection will be for the Alexandria Hospital.

DEFENDANT WINS SUIT.

John B. Henderson, Directed by First Jury to Pay $116,000.

The Supreme Court of Maine at Augusta yesterday rendered an opinion in favor of John B. Henderson, of Washington, in a suit alleging breach of promise brought by Elizabeth Garmong, who sought damages of $250,000.

In the lower court at Bangor last year the jury awarded Miss Garmong $116,000.

At a new trial last spring the award was reduced to $75,000, with the further stipulation that this amount should be paid only in the event that the Supreme Court upheld Miss Garmong's contention that Henderson had promised to marry her.

Henderson at one time resided in Alexandria county, and several years ago was the republican candidate for Congress from this district.

FINED FOR DRUNKENESS

Chief Goods and Officers Kerns and Henderson yesterday arrested Harry Fine and Walter Bishop, soldiers, and Henry Fields, colored, charged with being drunk on the streets. The soldiers were also charged with being disorderly in front of a fruit store.

The negro, upon being questioned, alleged he procured his liquor in Washington. The trio were fined five dollars each.

Mamie Semmes, colored, had been arrested by Officer Miller on the charge of lunacy. Justice Caton ordered that a commission be held.

THANKSGIVING DAY

Cartloads of pumpkins as yellow as gold
Onions in silvery strings,
Shining red aples and clusters of grapes,
Nuts and a host of good things.
Chickens and turkeys and fat little pigs—
These are what Thanksgiving brings.

Work is forgotten and playtime begins;
From office and schoolroom and hall.
Fathers and mothers, and uncles and aunts,
Nieces, and nephews, and all
Speed away home, as the hear from afar
The dear old Thanksgiving call.

Now is the time to forget all your care,
Cast every trouble away;
Think of gone blessings, remember your joys,
Don't be afraid to be gay!
None are too old, none are too young
To frolic on Thanksgiving Day.

—Virginia Guide.

EXTEND THANKS

For Services Rendered Women's Prayer Meeting Committee

The original committe of the Womens' prayer meetings wish to thank the telephone centrals and their corps of operatives for their kind, patient and efficient sevice during the past two months of these morning services. The members of the committee had to call upon the centrals at any hour of the day or evening for information wit regards to names and addresses of those in whose homes the 67 triweekly meetings were to be held ad of the 67 leaders. Their requests were always met with unfailing courtesy and patience and the undrsigned, in speaking for the entie committee, extend their heartfelt thanks.

Mrs. Edward Stabler Fawcett, chairman,

Mrs. George T. Klistein, secretary.

JOINS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Southern Railway and Washington and Old Dominion Railway Become Members

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce held last evening two applications were received for membership. One came from the Southern Railway company, the other from the Washington and Old Dominion Railroad company. The Southern railway company will be represented at the meetings of the Chamber of Commerce by Mr. E. F. Ticer, agent of that road in this city, while the Washington and Old Dominion road will be represented by Mr. J. V. Davis, its general freight and passenger agent.

Special Sale at Caton's

Watch for the special sale of goods to be announced in Friday's Gazette at J. Reece Caton's, 128 South Royal street. Prices will be cut to the point where a little money will buy a load of goods. Keep your eye on the Gazette for the advertisement Friday. It will be worth while.

Attention is called to the advertisement in another column of the Gazette of the Thanksgiving dinner at the Hotel Rammel tomorrow. This house is noted for its excellent meals and the menu for tomorrow keeps up the deserved reputation of the Hotel Rammel.

Genuine Lynnhaven Bay Oysters, on half shell, steamed or in measure, Jacob Brill foot of King St. 246-tf

ADVICES FROM BORDER

Alexandria Light Infantry Regarded As Among the Best Commands Now Stationed in Texas.

Intelligence from the Texan border is to the effect that the Alexandria Light Infantry stands high in the estimation of army officials. It is regarded as among the best commands on duty in that section.

A captain of one of the companies in giving his experience as an army officer says he had no idea whatever of the duties of such a position until confronted with them. He is virtually on duty twenty-four hours a day. The captain, of course, has to devote much of his time to drills, and in addition is compelled to see that each member of his command is properly clothed, equipped and doctored when occasion requires. Most soldiers have a decided repugnance to hospitals; hence the captain is made to play the part of a doctor in many cases. He has an outfit in the shape of a medicine chest containing iodine, cathartics, quinine, and other homely remedies. He is compelled to exercise the closet surveilance over everything.

The latest information from the border concerning the Alexandria boys is that all are well.

We have received a copy of the Brownsville Herald of last Saturday. It tells of twenty-three thousand American soldiers saluting President Wilson. The telegram was as follows:

Brownsville, Texas, Nov. 25, 1916
To Woodrow Wilson, President, Commander-in-Chief of the Armies of the Republic, Washington, D. C.:

After a course of streuous training lasting five months culminating in a marching maneuver of eight days' duration, twenty-three thousand men massed in review on the historic battlefield of Resaca de la Palma salute you.

JAMES PARKER,
Brigadier General Commanding.

The review was witnessed by thousands of persons, all of whom were justly proud of the American troops.

THE CURFEW LAW

Copy of One in Effect at Burlington, Vt., for Twelve Years

In view of the fact that the city council has been asked to adopt a curfew law for Alexandria, the Gazette presents herewith a copy of the law which has been in effect in the city of Burlington, Vermont, for the past twelve years. Staunton, Roanoke and Newport News in this state also have similar laws:

It is hereby ordained by the City Council of the City of Burlington, as follows:

Sec. 1. No child under 16 years of age shall be in or upon any of the streets, ways, sidewalks, alleys, public squares or parks in the night time after the hour of 9 o'clock, unless such child is accompanied by a parent, guardian or other person having care or control of such child, or is in the performance of some errand or duty directed by such parent, guardian or such other persons, in writing, or unless such child is there necessarily by reason of its employment; and no child, while in such employment or performance of such duty, shall loiter upon any street, way, sidewalk, alley, public square or park, or other public way or place.

Sec. 2. The chief of police shall keep a record of all violations of section 1 of this ordinance, and shall cause to be notified thereof one of the parents, the guardian, or any other person having the care or control of such child. He may also make complaint of all cases of children under 16 years of age, who, by reason of orphanage or of neglect, crime, drunkenness or other vice of parents, are suffered to grow up without salutary parental control or education, or in circumstances exposing them to lead idle and dissolute lives.

Sec. 3. The chief engineer of the fire department shall cause two blows to be sounded on the fire alarm signals at ten minutes to nine each evening.

Sec. 4. Any person violating any of the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance shall be liable to a fine not exceeding five dollars for each such violation.

Adopted April 25, 1904.

At St. Mary's Academy

Preceding the distribution of their monthly reports the third and fourth grades of St. Mary's Academy gave a delightful Thanksgiving program in their class room yesterday afternoon.

This afternoon the older classes will have their reports and their Thanksgiving programs.

Shop early if you would secure the best bargains and good service!

WIFE SWALLOWS POISON

Mrs. Alice D. Kirby Takes Bichloride Tablets—Her Condition Pronounced Critical.

Becoming despondent over domestic affairs, it is alleged, Mrs. Alice D. Kirby, wife of French Kirby, a clerk, residing on north St. Asaph street, swallowed three grains of bichloride of mercury late yesterday afternoon.

She was removed to the Alexandria hospital soon after she had taken the tablets and her condition was found to be most critical. This morning it was reported that she was some better, but this afternoon at two o'clock her condition was stated to be very serious.

Her age is given as 27, and it is said that she bought 25 cents' worth of the drug. She took the tablets about six o'clock last night.

THANKSGIVING APPEAL

From a Most Worthy Institution—The Alexandria City Hospital

While there may be many worthy institutions that are entitled to consideration, those which seek to relieve suffering caused by accident or disease and to save human life, must surely commend itself to the thoughtful citizen who is able to contribute toward their support. Alexandria has such an institution in its city hospital and too much cannot be said in praise of the splendid work which it is doing, therefore the Gazette takes pleasure in presenting herewith the following appeal from the managers:

The friends of the Alexandria Hospital are again reminded that Thanksgiving Day is the season when we look to them for donations of money, groceries, provisions of all kinds, household articles, in short any and everything that can be made useful in such an institution

Our Superintendent and her assistant have been unwearied, and with their own efficient services supplemented by that of the nurses, a wonderful amount of work has been done.

We have a staff of able and interested physicians and all is going on prosperously, but our friends must not forget that we need their help. If they fall short or fail to come to our aid, our work must stop.

The Hospital has for its constant aim, the furnishing of the best attention to the sick and suffering at as small exponse as possible, and if need be, to give this service gratis.

Each year a large number of patients are treated gratuitously, but it is only through the hearty cooperation of its many friends that its measure of usefulness has been so large. This fall especially we have had an unusual number of poor and suffering, who have taxed the Hospital to the limit of its capacity and means. Let us then hear from you on Thanksgiving Day; send your donations as God has prospered you, or come to the Hospital with hands full of gifts and see for yourself what your co-operation enables us to do, remembering too that "God loves a cheerful giver."

By Order of the Board.
November 1916.

The musical and literary entertainment Friday evening in the Westminster building for the benefit of the Payne street chapel building fund will be a treat to all music lovers and some of the city's best talent will participate in the evening's amusement. The ladies of the church always fulfill their promises and they have promised that any who come to the Westminster building Friday evening shall not be disappointed.

THE NEW HOTEL RAMMEL

Announces an

OLD VIRGINIA THANSGIVING DINNER

Served from 12 to 7 p. m.

Menu as served

Cherrystone Oysters served as Cocktail or on half shell
Celery
Consomme chicken or cream of clam
Roast young Turkey
Cranberry sauce
Prize Ribs of Beef
Creamed Califlower, Candied Sweet Potatoes, Browned Potatoes
Early Spinach, Green Peas
Martha Washington Pie, Old English Plum Pudding Pumpkin pie
After dinner mints Salted Almonds
Roquefort cheese Bents
Coffee, Tea, Postum,
Milk Buttermilk

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LET US BE THANKFUL.

Tomorrow has been designated by President Wilson as a day for thanksgiving and prayer. Governor Stuart of Virginia, in pursuance of the President's proclamation, has also issued a proclamation requesting all persons in the Old Dominion to assemble and offer thanks to high heavens for the abundant blessings enjoyed throughout the year.

Union services will be held in the M. E. Church, South, in this city at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. E. B. Jackson, D.D., pastor of the First Baptist Church.

It is unnecessary to reproduce the many suggestions that have recently been made to show that it is the duty of all people to turn their eyes to the merciful Giver, of all, upon this occasion. We live in an age of sudden transitions, and no one can tell what a day may bring forth. While the people of this country have about housed the fruits of their fields and are prepared for the Winter King, the face of what was a little over two years ago a fertile section of the earth, with happy rural homes is now covered by an offensive fog, bred of the smoke of powder, while the terra firma has been converted into a quagmire by shells which have so long done the plowing.

While the chimes in America are sounding tomorrow millions of our fellow-creatures will be huddled in trenches, subjected to all sorts of inconveniences and dangers sighing for a termination of the scenes incident to a campaign of frightfulness, as it has been properly called.

But there will be many inside the defenses—in cities—who will also be denying themselves. There are no food cards in America. We can buy what we please provided we can afford it, while people in besieged countries will tomorrow be gathered around scantily provided boards, experiencing the horrors of war which are felt by all classes at present.

PERTINENT QUESTION

The Richmond Journal, in speaking of after-the-war conditions, propounds several practical queries, some of which are:

Will the kaiser return from the battlefield and mount his throne again, secure in his rights, as the anointed of God?

Will not the returning armies rub their eyes and say, "Why, they are only human beings, like ourselves!"

Are not many of those footsore thousands of soldiers, marching at the order of one man, when the lust of blood is cooled, going to ask, "Why?"

What will royalty reply? No voice out of the caverns or heavens returns divine answers in these prosaic days. It may be really "the crash of empires and fall of worlds" that is now filling the country with horror and indignation. For what have millions of men died withi nthe last two years? Why not a tourney of kings if they wish to wipe one another off the earth? Where is civilization lurking these days? And what of The Hague peace conference? Has that chamber been converted into a morgue and do ghosts laugh in derision in the shadowed corners? What, indeed, of the soul of Europe?

INVADERS PUSHING ON.

Von Mackensen's Army Nearing Bucharest—Roumanians, However, May Escape Teuton Net.

London, Nov. 29—Progress of Field Marshal von Mackensen's forces from the newly-captured town of Giurgiu, on the Danube was the crux of the Roumanian situation today.

If the Teuton wedge of entry can be blunted and its power stopped until the Roumanian army has fallen back to its latest line of defense—presumably along the Arges River—the Roumanians, re-enforced by the Russians, may yet turn their retirement into a victory.

It was pointed out here as a continued augury of hope in the Roumanian situation that the Berlin official statements are still significantly silent as to captures of large bodies of troops or of transport supplies.

This indicates in the view of the allies, that the Roumanian retreat has been an orderly one and that it has escaped most of the encircling movements on which the German-Balkans' campaign has been based.

Paris reports that the capital of Roumania has temporarily been established at Jassy, about 200 miles northeast of Bucharest close to the Russian line, were unconfirmed. Such a move, however, would not be unexpected. With German forces in control of Giurgiu, they are only thirty-six miles distant from the present capital.

In front of the invaders lies an unfavorable terrain and in the intervening thirty-six miles there are three rivers to be crossed, each well situated for defensive purposes.

LETTERS TO THE PEOPLE.

Under the above heading the Gazette will be pleased to give reasonable space to any person who desires to make comment upon matters of general interest to the public. Writers will of course be responsible for their utterances. As a guarantee of good faith, the name and address of the writer of any article submitted for publication will be required in each instance.—Editor Gazette.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

For the information of the people of Alexandria in general, and in particular for the Committee in charge of the Alexandria section in connection with the recent demonstration held in Washington in honor of President Wilson's re-election, the Trustees of the Holy Name Band wish to state that it was no lack of patriotism towards our President or our country, or party feeling, that the Holy Name band did not participate in the parade. There were several articles in the daily papers about the demonstration, and, in which, we admit, the Holy Name band was named as a participant. These announcements were entirely unofficial, as the band had never taken any action in the matter.

A meeting of the band was held on Tuesday evening, two days previous to the parade, and no official notice or invitation was presented at this meeting, by those in charge of the arrangements. However, something in the nature of an invitation was received on Wednesday morning, which was too late to be brought before a meeting of the band. Another reason of our failure to take part was the weather conditions, which, about that time, was very cold, and not having the power to make a prophesy two days hence those in charge thought that conditions were not favorable enough to order the band out.

We give these facts in order that the public will know that the Holy Name band had a good cause for not taking part in the demonstration, and to allay the unjust criticism which the band has received, the cause of which resulted through an unofficial publication that the band would take part when no one with any authority had made such a statement.

THE TRUSTEES.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer.
Trustee's Sale.

The undersigned Trustee in Bankruptcy of the estate of Sallie P. Lozano, bankrupt, will, under and by virtue of an order entered by the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia on the 9th day of November, 1916, offer for sale, at public auction, in front of Duncan's Stables, corner of Pitt and Cameron Streets, at 11 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, December 6, 1916, certain personal property of the said bankrupt, consisting of household furniture, books, pictures, etc.

Terms of sale, CASH; ten per cent. to be paid at the time of sale and the balance within ten days after the sale is confirmed; otherwise, the property is to be re-sold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser.

C. KEITH CARLIN, Trustee in Bankruptcy. 280-3teod

"SONGS FOR SERVICE"

Gypsy Smith Song Books

Now on Sale.
S. F. DYSON & BROTHER
Booksellers & Stationers
420 King Street.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

The undersigned having qualified as administratrix of the estate of the late James J. Goodwin, requests all persons having claims against the estate to present the same to her. Those indebted to the estate are requested to come forward and settle the same.

ADA [illegible] GOODWIN
274-10t Administratrix of James J. Goodwin, Deceased.

APPLES AND HEALTH.

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AUCTION SALES

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Saturday, December 2, 1916.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, entered on the 16th day of November, 1916, in the chancery cause of Edgar R. Troxell, et als., vs. The Capital City Telephone Company, et als., the undersigned Commissioner will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the premises, No. 309 King Street, on Saturday, the 2nd day of December, 1916, at twelve o'clock, the following described property of the Capital City Telephone Company, to-wit: The entire plant, consisting of the switchboard and central office system, situated at No. 309 King Street, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and the poles, wires and overhead telephone system now owned by the said Company, within the City and County of Alexandria, and Fairfax County, and the exclusive right to use, for exchange purposes, within the said City and Counties, the United States patents, Nos. 423, 788, 562, 013, 102, 011, 010, 009; and any other patent rights, tools, machinery and property of all sorts, belonging to the said Telephone Company, and all other personal property now owned by the said Company and not herein described. Also all legal rights and privileges belonging to the said Company by virtue of contracts now existing between the Company and persons or corporations using, or expecting to use, its telephone system.

Terms of Sale: 1-3 of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in two installments at six and twelve months from the date of sale, title to be retained until the full purchase price is paid; or the purchaser may pay the whole of the purchase money in cash.

SAMUEL G. BRENT,
Commissioner.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the aforesaid Court, do certify that Samuel G. Brent, Commissioner in the aforementioned suit, has executed the bond as required by the decree of sale, entered in said suit.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
271-12t. Clerk.

Trustees Sale of valuable real estate impoved by four story brick building at the southeast corner of Prince and Fairfax streets Alexandria, Va., also all engines, boilers, motors, kettles and other personal property in said premises.

By virtue of a certain deed of Trust duly recorded in liber No. 58, folio 142 et. seq. of the land records of the City of Alexandria and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned Trustees will sell at public auction, in front of the premises on FRIDAY the FIRST DAY of DECEMBER at FOUR o'clock P. M., the following described land and premises and personal property situated in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, known and distinguished as all that certain lot piece or parcel of land with the improvements thereon described as follows to wit: Beginning at the Southeast corner of Prince and Fairfax streets, and running thense eastwardly on the south line of Prince street, 61 feet 8 and 1-4 inches; then southwardly and parallel to Fairfax street, 114 feet 7 inches more or less to a 10 foot alley; thence along the line of said alley and parallel to Prince 61 feet 8 and 1-4 inches to Fairfax street, and thence north and fronting on Fairfax street, 114 feet 7 inches to the beginning.

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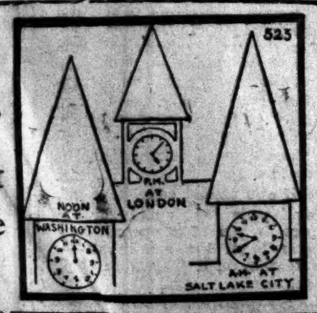

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Brailey Gish a Washington dealer recently taken up motor car racing as a pastime has entered two cars.

A dark horse in this race will be Paul Miner and his 90 Simplex. This car has shown its exhaust to many fast cars on the dirt track circuit during the past summer.

Ray Semmes has entered a Semmes special which on previous occasions has finished within the money in the small car class. Frazier who holds a great deal of respect for his Ford entry and is determined to make others look upon the car in the same light.

A full band of music will furnish the attraction between the races which are to start promptly at one thirty o'clock. By four thirty it is planned to have the afternoon entertainment over.

Provisions has been made for parking automobile inside the course and those who wish can witness the races from their cars.

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Compromise is Reached in Suit Against Other Legatees

The final steps were taken yesterday in Baltimore, in settlement of the suits of Mrs. Blema Brager, whose husband is a son of the late Joseph Brager, of Alexandria, against other legatees of her father, the late Joseph Friendenwald, to recover what she considered her just share of his $4,000,000 estate. The agreement of settlement was filed in court and it is expected that the suits will be dismissed today.

It is understood that Mrs. Brager was paid $100,000 in the settlement. It was alleged by her that by misrepresentations she was induced to accept $120,000 as her one-thirteenth share of the estate, but that she was entitled to about $350,000, With the $120,000 already received, she will get $220,000 as her share.

Mrs. Brager's suit to recover the money alleged to be due her was tried before Judge Duffy, who took the case from the jury. The Court of Appeals sent it back for a new trial, and it was on the eve of being tried again when a compromise was reached.

Mrs. Brager brought suit in Baltimore city, against Jacob H., Hiram W. and Benjamin B. Friedenwall, Mrs. Jennie Hecht, Mrs. Merla Thalheimer, Mrs. Bertha Goldenberg, Mrs. Berleen Dersauer, brothers and sisters, and Herbert Bloch, Merla Bloch Wolf and Helen Bloch Shields, children of a sister who died. In Baltimore county the suit was entered against Mrs. Florence F. Selz, Mrs. Aimee Beakman, Moses S. and Leo W. Friedenwald.

William L. Marbury, Randolph Barton, jr., and T. Scott Offutt represented Mrs. Brager, while Vernon Cook, Charles Markell and former Judge Martin Lehmayer defended the suit.

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AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE 8-ROOM DWELLING HOUSE, NO. 116 S. HENRY STREET.

By virtue of a deed of trust from Sallie O. Hantzmon to the undersigned trustees, dated the twenty-fourth day of July, 1915, and recorded in Liber 64, page 442, in the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, given to secure payment of the notes therein described, and default having been made in the payment of one of said notes, the undersigned trustees will, at the request of the holder of said notes, offer for sale, at publice auction, in front of the Royal Street entrance to the market building on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2nd, at 12:30 o'clock noon, the following property, known as 116 S. Henry Street, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the east side of Henry Street, 161 feet, more or less, south of King Street and at the center of the partition wall between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the north; and running thence south on Henry Street 33 feet to the north line of a lot sold by Sallie O. Hantzmon to Christine C. Ervin; thence east, parallel to King Street, 100 feet; thence north parallel to Henry Street, 33 feet, to an alley 5 feet wide, running north into alley 10 feet wide, extending to Henry Street; thence west, parallel to King Street 100 feet to the beginning, with the right of way over both of said alleys in common with others entitled thereto.

Terms of sale, CASH; conveyancing at cost of purchaser. A deposit of ten per cent will be required when the property is knocked down to the purchaser.

KATE WALLER BARRETT
HOWARD W. SMITH,
274-9t. Trustees.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer

By virtue of a deed of trust from Thomas A. Groves and wife, to the undersigned trustees, dated May 20, 1915,, and recorded in liber 64, page 356 of the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, given to secure the payment of the notes therein described, and default having been made in the payment of one of said notes, the undersigned trustees will, at the request of the holder of said notes, offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal Street entrance to the market building, on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6th. at 12 o'clock noon, the following property:

FIRST—Beginning at a point on the east side of Patrick Street, 208 feet 3 1-2 inches south of Duke Street, and running thence south on Patrick Street 15 feet 1 1-4 inches; thence east, parallel with Duke Street 123 feet 5 inches to an alley; thence north parallel with Patrick Street 15 feet 1 1-4 inches; and thence west parallel with Duke Street 123 feet 5 inches to the beginning. The house on said lot being known as No. 320 South Patrick Street.

SECOND—Beginning on the east side of Patrick Street 223 feet 4 3-4 inches south of Duke Street, and running thence south on Patrick Street 14 feet 10 inches; thence east parallel with Duke Street 123 feet 5 inches to an alley; thence north with Patrick Street 14 feet 10 inches and thence west parallel with Duke Street 123 feet 5 inches to the beginning. The house on said lot being known as No. 322 South Patrick Street. It being the same property which was conveyed to the said Thomas A. Groves by George T. Klipstein, by deed dated October 1, 1913, and recorded in liber 62, page 150, of the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

THIRD—All that lot of ground with a frame dwelling house, with improvements thereon, formerly in the county of Fairfax, Virginia, but now lying in the City of Alexandria known as No. 1825 Duke Street, and bounded as follows: Beginning on the north side of Duke Street extended, in the village of West End, 514.78 feet east of the intersection of the diagonal road with said Duke Street extended, and running thence east on said Duke Street 20 feet; thence north 100 feet to an alley; thence west on said alley 20 feet; thence south 100 feet to the beginning, with the use of said alley and all appurtenances to the same belonging; and being the same property which was conveyed to the said Thomas A. Groves by E. W. Bragg and wife, by deed dated February 1, 1912, and recorded in liber L. No. 7, page 490, of the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia.

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NEWS OF THE DAY

Fourteen merchant vessels were reported sunk yesterday by torpedoes, mines or other agencies of war. They represent an aggregate tonnage calculated at 22,144. The aggregate loss reaches the enormous total of $11,072,000.

The American steamship Chemung, with a crew of 35 men, practically all Americans, was sunk by gunfire and torpedo fire, presumably by an Austrian submarine, on Sunday morning near Cabo De Gata, Spain. The crew of the vessel were given time to take to the boats, and the submarine towed the boats to within five miles of the Spanish shore, where they were abandoned. The Spanish steamer Cinen rescued the men and landed them safely at Valencia, The Chemug was bound from New York for Genoa and carried a general cargo. She sunk with the American flag flying at her stern, Capt. John L. Duffy having formally refused to lower it.

A Lackawanna train plowed through a group of 60 munition workers on the station platform at Kingsland, N. J., last night and three were killed, four mortally hurt and 15 received minor injuries. Passengers on the train were thrown into a panic as human bodies were thrown in three directions by the locomotive. Several women fainted.

Because his offers of love and marriage were spurned, George Praeger, 26 years old, shot and killed pretty 21 year old Annie Roth, in Baltimore Monday night. Leaving her body in her home at 608 Clenolden avenue he went to Druid Hill park and cast himself into Druid Hill Lake and was drowned.

In connection with the coronation of Charles as King of Hungary a new Slav state may be proclaimed, says the London Times. It is to be created from parts of Montenegro, Serbia, Dalmatia, Croatia, Bosnia, and Herzegovina.

Officials of the railroad brotherhoods whose members, employed by the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway, are voting on a strike proposal, have issued a statement charging that the road was employing unfair means to prevent the men from voting their convictions. The statement replied to one by road officials giving notice that strikers would forfeit their priority standing with the company.

Frank G. Friend, yardmaster at Buffalo for the Nickel Plate Railroad has informed the arbitration board, which is trying to settle the difference between the switchmen's union and 13 railroads in New York, that he believed the eight-hour day would increase, drinking among railroad switchmen, because they would have more leisure.

Charles E. Hughes' plurality in Minnesota at the recent Presidential election was 392 votes, the State Canvassing Board determined yesterday. Discovery of slight errors in the original tabulation resulted in a net loss of four votes by Mr. Hughes, the final official count being: Hughes, 179, 544; Wilson, 179,-152.

The New Jersey Board of Canvassers has refused to issue a certificate of election from the Third Congressional district to Robert Carson, Republican, who on the face of returns was elected over Congressman Thomas J. Scully, Democrat. By a vote of three Democrats to two Republicans a postponment was decided upon until December 12, when a recount of ballots now in progress is expected to be completed.

Sir Alfred A. Booth, chairman of the Cunard Steamship Company board, who arrived at New York yesterday on the Laconia, says England is more exercised over high food prices than anything else. Eggs he says are $1 a dozen in London and bread 21 cents a loaf.

Emperor William will send to President Wilson as a Christmas present a de luxe set of American authors specially prepared, printed and bound at the royal printing works in Berlin. The German submarine Deutschland, the newspaper says, will carry the gift to the United States on her next trip across the Atlantic. Emperor William's Christmas gift to Pope Benedict will be a Bible, magnificently illuminated and bound.

Football claimed only six lives in 1916, according to figures published in Chicago.

CLERK STOLE $100,000

New York Clerk Expended Sum in Lavish Living.

New York, Nov. 28.—Adolph J. Loeffler, clerk, 30 years old, yesterday confessed to having robbed his employers, Francis H. Leggett & Co., of more than $100,000 during the past two years.

His almost "uncanny desire," as he expressed it, to live in luxury, brought his downfall. Loeffler readily admitted this to M. R. Ryttenberg, assistant district attorney.

Before Magistrate Marsh in the Jefferson Market Court, he was charged with lareeny and forgery. He pleaded guilty and was held without bail for the grand jury.

Four years ago, he said, he lived in poverty in a $2.50 room in East Twenty-ninth street, He ate at a cheap restaurant and bought his clothing at bargain sales.

He then was employed, as he was up to the time of his arrest, by the Leggett Company. He started at $12 a week.

Thus he lived until about two years ago, when he was given $25 a week.

Then he married a pretty young stenographer. Although his salary was still $25 a week, here is the way he lived:

He had an apartment in West 86th street. He paid $150 a month. The furniture cost him about $35,000, he said.

Two of the rugs in the apartment cost him $1.000 each, and he produced bills to prove it. Tiger skins gave added warmth to his home.

His bric-a-brac cost many thousands of dollars.

He had a liveried chauffeur to whom he paid $25 a week—the same amount he received from Leggett & Company.

OFFICIAL

Board of Aldermen

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Alexandria, Va., held November 28, 1916, there were present:

F. F. Marbury, esq., President, and Messrs. Brill, Robinson, Ballenger, Harrison, Wilkins, and Fitzgerald.

Mr. Wilkins, at the request of Police Commissioner R. E. Knight, submitted an ordinance providing making it a misdemeanor for any person under the age of sixteen years to be found in the streets or alleys of the city fifteen minutes after the ringing of a curfew bell, and providing penalty for infraction of the same.

The ordinance was referred to the Committee on General Laws, Police and Health.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in:

Reports of Committees on Finance and Fire on a resolution appropriating $6,000 for the construction of a new fire engine house in the newly annexed territory.

Report of Committee on Finance, Fire and General Laws on a report of the citizens' committee in reference to fire protection, etc.

Report of the Committees on Finance and General Laws on a petition allowing a discount on tax bills paid December 1, 1916.

Report of the Committee on Streets on a communication from the Alexandria Automobile Club concerning proposed repairs to north Washington street.

Report of the same committee on a petition of C. R. Keith for permission to extend the steps in front of his residence in George Washington Park one foot on a city street.

Report of the same committee on a resolution requesting the Corporation Attorney to take proper steps looking to the re-opening Reinecker's Lane from Duke street to the Diagonal Road.

Report of the same committee on a resolution in regard to the complaint of Max Sperlin of the conditions at the southwest corner of Princess and Payne streets.

Report of the Committees on Finance and General Laws on a petition of J. R. and H. B. Caton for a quit claim to lots in George Washington Park.

Communication from the Board of Supervisors of Frederick County, in regard to proposed road improvements from Alexandria to the Valley Turnpike.

Resolution of Seminole Tribe of Red Men endorsing the movement for the passage of a curfew law.

Resolution providing for an appropriation of $568.40 for repairs to fire apparatus, etc

The Aldermen proceeded to the chamber of the Common Council for the purpose of participating in the election of a corporation attorney and upon their return adjourned.

F. F. MARBURY, President.
Teste: Luther H. Thompson, Clerk.

Common Council.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Alexandria, Va., held November 28, 1916, there were present:

Howard W. Smith, esq., President, and Messrs. Woolls, Evans, Field, Wattles, Desmond, Bales, Pohl, Carlin, Burke, Ballenger, and Lawler.

The joint committee on Finance and General Laws reported adversely on a resolution referred to them on September 26, 1916 to allow five per cent on that part of city tax payable December 1, 1916. A motion by Mr. Lawler to nonconcur in report of the committee was lost, and the report of the committee was adopted.

The joint committee on Finance and Fire reported that the weather is not now favorable for the construction of a Fire Engine house in the annexed territory and that the Finance committee reserve funds from the 12 per cent allowance when conditions are favorable, and the report was adopted.

The joint committee on Finance, Fire and General laws reported progress on the fire protection proposition referred to them on November 23, 1915 and the matter was recommitted to the same joint committee.

The committee on Streets recommended that the road on north Washington street be repaired for use this winter and the report was adopted.

The committee on Streets reported that no permanent remedy can be made to the gutter on east side of Payne street from Princess to Queen streets until the street is sewered and paved, and the report was received.

Upon recommendation of the committee on Streets permission was granted Mr. C. R. Keith to construct cement steps in front of his property in George Washington Park.

The committee on Streets, recommended that the Corporation Attorney investigate and report, the legal rights to Reinekers Lane between Duke Street extended and Diagonal Road. The report was adopted and the committee instructed to consult the Corporation Attorney.

An ordinance authorizing the Mayor to sign proper deeds and quit claims on certain lots in George Washington Park, was offered by Mr. Carlin and referred to the joint committee on Finance and General Laws.

Resolutions adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Frederick County Va., was received,

Resolution adopted by Seminole Tribe of Red Men, recommending the passage of a "curfew Law" was received and referred to the Committee on General Laws.

A resolution, appropriating $568.40 for repairs to Columbia Engine, valves for motor engine and fire hydrant in George Washington Park, was referred to the joint committee on Fire and Finance.

The Board of Aldermen convened in joint session to elect a corporation attorney for the unexpired term of the late Samuel P. Fisher.

Mr. Field nominated Mr. H. Noel Garner and he was elected by the following vote: Messrs, Woolls, Evans, Field, Wattles, Desmond, Bales, Pohl, Carlin, Burke, C. S. Ballenger, Lawler, Smith, Marbury, Brill, W. W. Ballenger, Robinson, Harrison, Wilkins and Fitzgerald—19. The joint session then dissolved and the board adjourned.

HOWARD W. SMITH, President.
Teste Daniel R. Stansbury.

ANNUAL MEETINGS

Notice.

Notice to State Tax Payers—I am now prepared to receive the State taxes for the year 1916. The attention of tax payers is respectfully called to the importance of paying the same prior to December 1, 1916, as on that date a penalty of five per cent. will be added to all unpaid bills and their collection enforced as required by law.

THOS. W. ROBINSON,
273-10t City Treasurer.
Alexandria, Nov. 21, 1916

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE WASHINGTON FERTILIZER COMPANY

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company for the election of officers and directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the general office of the company, rooms 1 and 2 Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Va., at the hour of 12:00 noon, Wednesday the 13th day of December 1916.

JOHN F. WILKINS, President,
H. STIDHAM, Secretary.
278-13t.

WANTED

BOOKKEEPER WANTED—Young lady with experience on modern methods of accounting preferred. A good position and salary with an old established manufacturing concern. If now employed, can answer in strict confidence; give full particulars regarding self and reference or no attention will be paid. Box 25 Gazette Office.
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JUST RECEIVED—18 oil rain coats, $2.50; 12 canvas wool lined $2.75; 10 black striped wool lined $3.75; 8 English mole skin wool lined, $4.50; 200 horse blankets $5.00 to $6.50; 25 wool and plush robes $3. to $7.50; rubber boots $3.25, $3.50, $4.00 to $5.00; 100 pairs canvas leggins 49, 80 and 85c pair; special for Friday and Saturday, 500 yards floor cover oilcloth 2 yards wide 30c square yard; 75 yards Linoleum, 2 yards wide 40c square yard; 100 yards new stair carpet, velvet Brussels, at $1.12 yard; 10 matting rugs, pink, blue or green woven $3.00; 1 rug, 12x11.3, $19.00; 1 rug, velvet, 12x9 $18.50; 3 rugs Brussels 12x9, $16.50; 8 rugs 12 x9, $13.50, $14.50 and $15.50; 50 yards crex carpet 1 yard wide at 45c yard; 25 bed comforts cot size 98c; 25 bed comforts 3-4 size $1.25; 25 bed comforts large double $1.75, $1.98, $2.35 BERNHEIMER AND CO., 200 King street.

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AUCTION SALE

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer.
AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE RESIDENCE PROPERTY IN ROSEMONT.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on May 15, 1914, recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 143, page 155, executed by William H. Dawson and wife to Gardner L. Boothe, to secure to the Rosemont Development Company Incorporated, the payment of certain notes therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of some of said notes, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of said notes, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, at the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in the city of Alexandria, on Saturday, December 9th, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, Lot numbered 10 in Block numbered 19 on the plan of Section No. 3 of the subdivision of Rosemont, as the same appears duly recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 134, page 594; the property being formerly located in Alexandria County but now being located in Alexandria City by legal extension of the corporate limits of the said city.

This property will be offered for sale subject to the lien of a first deed of trust, given to secure the sum of three thousand dollars and interest.

Terms o fSale: CASH. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Trustee.
Nov. 27, t. d. 278-10t

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer.
AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE RESIDENCE PROPERTY IN ROSEMONT.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on April 3, 1914, recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 142, page 341, executed by William H. Dawson and wife to Gardner L. Boothe, to secure to the Rosemont Development Company, Incorporated, the payment of certain notes therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of some of said notes, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of said notes, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, on Saturday December 9, 1916, at 12:15 o'clock Noon, Lot numbered 28 in Block numbered 2, on the plan of Section No. 1 of the subdivision of Rosemont, as the same appears duly recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 129, page 27; the property being formerly located in Alexandria County but now being located in Alexandria City by legal extension of the corporate limits of the said City.

This property will be offered for sale subject to the lien of a first deed of trust, given to secure the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars and interest.

Terms of Sale :CASH. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Trustee.
Nov. 27,t. d. 278-10t.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer.
AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE RESIDENCE PROPERTY IN ROSEMONT.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on April 23, 1914, recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 142, page 524, executed by William H. Dawson and wife to Gardner L. Boothe, to secure to the Rosemont Development Company, Incorporated, the payment of certain notes therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of some of said notes, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of said notes, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building in the city of Alexandria, on Saturday, December 9th, 1916, at 12:30 o'clock. Lot numbered 7, in Block numbered 19, on the plan of Section No. 3 of the subdivision of Rosemont, as the same appears duly recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 134, page 594; the property being formerly located in Alexandria County but now being located in Alexandria City by legal extension of the corporate limits of the said City.

This property will be offered for sale subject to the lien of a first deed of trust, given to secure the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars and interest.

Terms of Sale: CASH. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Trustee.
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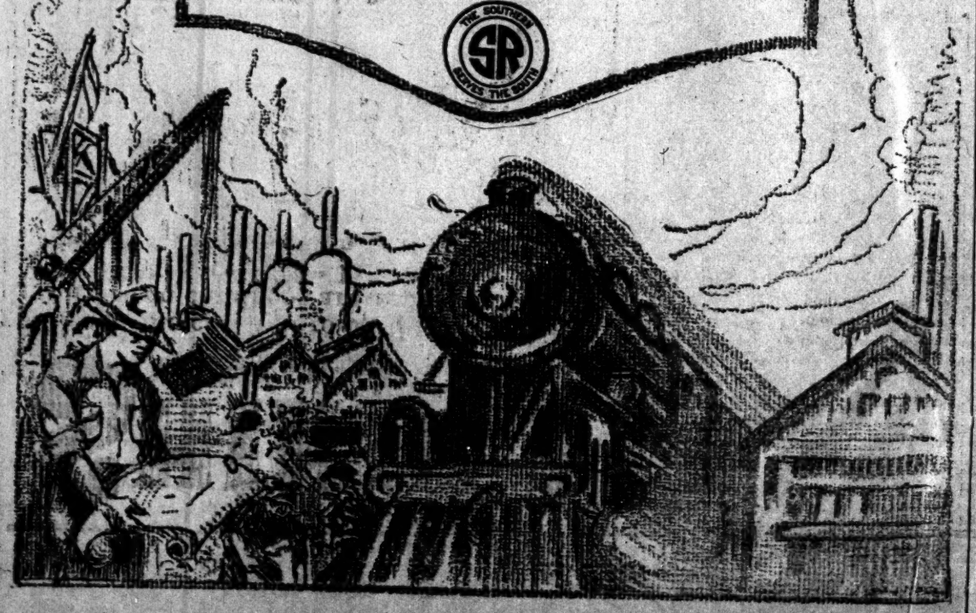

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